

3 sociation, of Corning, Iowa, said renewal to extend the corporate
4 existence of said corporation for a period of twenty years from
5 March 25, 1938.

1 SEC. 3. Nothing in this act shall be construed to affect pending
2 litigation involving said Farmers Mutual Insurance Association.

1 SEC. 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take
2 effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Adams
3 County Free Press, Corning, Iowa, and The Taylor County Herald,
4 Bedford, Iowa without expense to the State of Iowa.

Approved April 18, 1939.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Adams County Free Press, Corning, Iowa, May 4, 1939, and the Taylor County Herald, Bedford, Iowa, May 4, 1939.

EARL G. MILLER, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 298

FLOYD COUNTY

S. F. 441

AN ACT to legalize the action of the board of supervisors of Floyd county, Iowa, in acquiring title to lot five (5), block two (2), Oak Park addition to Charles City, Iowa, and to legalize the expenditure of the sum of nine hundred thirty-two dollars and thirty-two cents (\$932.32) for the repair and construction of a house upon the said real estate.

WHEREAS, Floyd County, Iowa, on the 29th day of November, 1937, acquired tax deed to Lot Five (5), Block Two (2), Oak Park Addition to Charles City, Iowa, such tax deed having been acquired pursuant to and under the provisions of the public bidder law, and

WHEREAS, subsequent to the acquisition of said title, said board caused to be constructed on said premises a certain residence wherein to house poor families, the cost of said house being Nine hundred thirty-two dollars and thirty-two cents (\$932.32), and

WHEREAS, subsequent to the construction of said house, doubt arose as to the legal right of said county to pay the cost of such construction, and

WHEREAS, the above described lot was then sold to one Merrill G. Smith, pursuant to the provisions of the public bidder law for the sum of Twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), which was the reasonable value of said lot, and

WHEREAS, thereupon said Merrill G. Smith paid to the contractor, materialmen and laborers the cost of constructing said house and thereupon entered into a lease with Floyd County, Iowa, under the terms of which said house was leased to said county for the purpose of housing the poor at an agreed rental, and

WHEREAS, said county has now purchased said lot with the house referred to thereon situated and doubt has arisen as to the validity of the construction of the house, the sale of the lot and the purchase of said house and lot by said county, now therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. That the action of the board of supervisors of Floyd
2 County, Iowa, in contracting for the erection of said house, in selling

3 the lot on which the same is situated to said Merrill G. Smith, and in
 4 purchasing said house and lot from said Merrill G. Smith, and all
 5 matters pertaining to the construction of said house, the sale of said
 6 lot, the purchase of said house and lot, be and the same is hereby
 7 legalized, validated and confirmed and the title of said property and
 8 the building thereon is hereby confirmed and established in Floyd
 9 County, Iowa.

1 SECTION 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall
 2 become effective upon publication in The Charles City Press, a news-
 3 paper published in Charles City, Iowa, and in The Nashua Reporter,
 4 a newspaper published in Nashua, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 19, 1939.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Charles City Press, June 1, 1939, and the Nashua Reporter, May 31, 1939.

EARL G. MILLER, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 299

TRANSFER OF FUNDS BY TREASURER OF WORTH COUNTY

H. F. 425

AN ACT to legalize the action of the county treasurer of Worth county, Iowa, in making payment from the general fund of said county of the sum of twenty-eight hundred twenty-five and 75/100 dollars (\$2825.75) for the purpose of retiring certain bonds and coupons issued by and against Drainage District Number 40 of Worth County, Iowa.

WHEREAS, there has been paid from the general funds of Worth County, Iowa, certain bonds and coupons issued by and against drainage district number 40 of Worth County, Iowa, in the amount of twenty-eight hundred twenty-five and 75/100 dollars (\$2825.75); and

WHEREAS, the same cannot be collected from the former treasurer nor the present treasurer on account of the statute of limitations; and

WHEREAS, it is impossible to levy an assessment on said drainage district to pay the amount of twenty-eight hundred twenty-five and 75/100 (\$2825.75) so paid by said county treasurers and thus reimburse the county funds of Worth County, Iowa; now, therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. The payment of the sum of twenty-eight hundred
 2 twenty-five and 75/100 (\$2825.75) by the county treasurer of Worth
 3 County, Iowa, for the purpose of retiring certain bonds and coupons
 4 issued by and against drainage district number 40 of Worth County,
 5 Iowa, out of the general funds of Worth County, Iowa, is hereby legal-
 6 ized and made a permanent transfer from the general funds of Worth
 7 County, Iowa.

1 SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be
 2 in full force and effect from and after its publication in the Manly